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NINE DIVORCES GRANTED.

**MANY MARRIAGE BONDS SUNDERED
BY JUDGE WHEELER.**

Unhappy Wives and Their Tales of Woe—
Contractor Seymour Wants \$5,000 Damages From A. N. Farnham—Supreme
Court Adjourns.

Yesterday was divorce day in the
superior court, civil side, and out of
ten ex-parte divorces cases nine were
granted. Judge Ralph Wheeler was on
the bench and the divorce mill ground
at an exceedingly rapid rate. One of
the first cases to be heard was that of
Jane Hawley of Ansonia against
her husband, George R. Hawley of
parts unknown. Mrs. Hawley through
her counsel, Attorney Storrs, asked for
a divorce on the ground of desertion
and after a brief trial the divorce was
granted. The couple were married in
1885.

Margaret Cain of this city was granted
a divorce from her husband, Wil-
liam J. Cain, on the ground of habitual
intemperance. The marriage took place
May 24, 1878, in this city. Mr. Cain's
interests were looked after by Attor-
ney J. P. Gough.

Alice L. Adams, also of this city, was
the next to pour her tale of woe into
the ear of Judge Wheeler. She asked
for a divorce from James F. Adams on
the grounds of desertion. The testi-
mony showed that the couple were
married in 1891 and shortly after her
husband deserted her. She was repre-
sented by Attorney Hollmann. In this
case the judge reserved his decision.

Ella Slason of Waterbury was granted
a divorce from Edward N. Slason
on the ground of intolerable cruelty.
The couple were married in 1887. The
plaintiff was represented by Attorney
Lowe.

Elizabeth Brown of Meriden also had
the bonds of wedlock broken by
Judge Wheeler. She was married ten
years ago to John T. Brown. Six
years ago she was deserted, hence her
application for divorce. After Judge
Wheeler had heard the testimony in
the case he granted the decree. The
plaintiff was represented by Attorney
Sawyer of Meriden.

William Rauscher of Seymour was
granted a divorce from Annie Rauscher
of parts unknown on the grounds of
desertion. The couple were married in
1889. The plaintiff was represented
by Attorney Charles F. Bollmann.

Caroline Hitchcock of this city was
granted a divorce from Harry S.
Hitchcock on the grounds of intolerable
cruelty. The couple were married
March 16, 1893. The plaintiff was
represented by Attorney Harry W. Asher.

The custody of a minor child was also
awarded to the plaintiff.

Edward A. Brownell of Wallingford
was divorced from Lucy Brownell on
the grounds of desertion. The couple
were married twenty-two years ago
and the desertion occurred eighteen
years ago. The plaintiff was repre-
sented by Attorney C. A. Harrison.

Sophia Morin of Meriden was also
granted a divorce from Adolphus Morin
on the grounds of desertion. They
were married in August, 1890. Eva
Straley, also of Meriden, was granted
a decree from Theodore Straley on the
grounds of intolerable cruelty. In both
cases the plaintiffs were represented
by Attorney Thayer of Meriden.

City Court—Criminal Side—Judge Cable.
James McCabe, begging, 30 days in
jail; breach of the peace, \$7 fine, \$7.86
costs; James Murphy, begging, 30 days
in jail, \$6.24 costs; John Barry, begging,
30 days in jail, \$5.42 costs; John Roche,
begging, nolle, drunkenness, judgment
suspended; William Carroll, begging,
continued until January 26; William Ar-
tridge, begging, 30 days in jail, \$5.42
costs; Daniel Collins, begging, 60 days
in jail; breach of the peace, \$1 fine, \$6.24
costs; George H. Mains, breach of the
peace, nolle; Nicholas Spellberg, seduc-
tion, bond called; Lorenzo Caruso, mur-
der, bound over to superior court; Wil-
liam E. Rogers, begging, 15 days in jail,
\$7.06 costs; Joseph Forbes, begging, con-
tinued until January 19; Stephen Simon,
breach of the peace, 30 days in jail, \$8.24
costs; Louis Voestrom, theft, continued
until February 1.

Court Notes.
Garbage Contractor Walter S. Swayne
yesterday brought another suit against
Arthur N. Farnham. In this suit
Swayne claims \$5,000 damages and claims
that he entered into an agreement with
Farnham to raise hogs and that he
bought a quantity of hogs and delivered
them to Farnham. He claims that
Farnham has never made any return
to him for the hogs, hence the suit.

The supreme court of errors yesterday
adjourned sine die. The court has been
holding sessions here since Tuesday,
and has considered a number of cases.

PEQUOT MINSTREE SHOW.
A coming attraction at Warner Hall.
The coming minstrel entertainment
to be given at Warner hall on Wednes-
day evening, January 23, by some of the
members of the Pequot club promises
to be a fine affair. The musical part
of the program has been carefully se-
lected and prepared, and will include
selections from "Robin Hood" and other
popular operas. The minstrel portion
is under the skillful hands of Messrs.
Larom, Hale and Booth, and an evening
of fun and witticisms is assured.

Following the entertainment will be an
informal dance, which will last un-
til the wee hours of the morning. Tick-
ets may be procured from members of
the club. Those who wish to assist are
Messrs. Langdale and Corbin, first tenors;
Spler and Jackson, second tenors;
Cooke and Lewis, first basses, and Ben-
nett and Butler, second basses; Mr.
Hale, interlocutor; Messrs. Larom and
Booth, and men, who are members of
the organization known as the "Pequot
Troubadours."

**Conference of Sunday School Superintend-
ents.**
A meeting of Sunday school superin-
tendents and assistants and ex-super-
intendents, is to be held in the Calvary
Baptist church, New Haven, on Wed-
nesday evening, January 23. Tea will
be served by the ladies at 6:30. The
formal exercise will begin at 7, in
charge of C. B. Foote, president of the
state association. There will be inter-
esting and profitable discussions in
which several prominent workers will
participate. The relation of the super-
intendent to the teachers will be the
main topic.

PERSONAL.

Mr. Charles H. Merwin of No. 52
Bishop street has been confined to his
home for two weeks, owing to a very
severe cold, but is improving under
the care of Dr. McNeil and hopes to be
out again in about a week.

Miss Helen Bishop of No. 71 Whalley
avenue, who has been ill for some time,
is now convalescing.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Whitting of Eld
street left yesterday for a stay at Mil-
lerton, Dutchess county, N. Y. Mr.
Whitting is one of the best best known
and oldest members of Harmony lodge,
I. O. O. F.

Mr. Ulysses S. Clark of Bishop street,
bookkeeper at the Chaffinch office,
State street, has been confined to his
home for about a week by illness.

Frank A. Lucke, who has been ill
with typhoid fever and confined to his
home for about a month, is convalesc-
ent under the care of Dr. S. D. Gil-
bert and hopes to be out again in a
week or ten days.

Rev. W. S. Phillips, D. D., and E. P.
Judd, the bookseller, left yesterday for
Hot Springs, N. C., where they expect
to remain for a few weeks.

William F. Neef of Albany has suc-
ceeded R. W. Mansfield as superin-
tendent of the Calvary Industrial Home
on Crown street.

Samuel A. Stevens of the former firm
of Stevens & Brooks, the Chapel street
batters, is severely ill at his home, No.
25 Wall street. Thursday evening his
life was despaired of. Mr. Stevens is
a well known business man and was
for several years treasurer of the West
Haven Railroad company. He has been
ill but a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Cortell have
gone to their Florida home for a few
weeks. Several years ago Mr. Cortell
purchased Sunshine cottage at Inter-
lachen and since that time has spent
the greater portion of the winter in that
delightful location, where they regular-
ly entertain some New Haven friends
during their sojourn.

Postmaster Francis G. Beach returned
yesterday from Washington, where
the postmasters of all the large cities
of the country convened in the interest
of the clerks' classification bill. Mr.
Beach feels confident that the measure
will be adopted by congress.

BIRTHDAY OF ROBERT BURNS.
A Fitting Celebration to be Held at the
Hyperion—Senator Hawley to Preside.

The twenty-fifth annual celebration
by the New Haven Caledonian club of
the birthday of Robert Burns will be
held at the Hyperion theater January
25 at 8 o'clock. The Hon. Joseph R.
Hawley, United States senator, will pre-
side as chairman of the meeting. A
very attractive program has been se-
lected and an enjoyable time is assured,
and it is as follows:

PROGRAM.
Part I.

Overture—Second Regiment Orchestra.

Address—Hon. Joseph R. Hawley.

Quartet—"The Snowdrop" (Archer)—
Miss Mary, Miss Horlock, Mr. Rie-
ger and Mr. Miller.

Recitation—"The Return of the Witch-
es" (Oliver Wendell Holmes)—Miss
Mary Dudley Burke.

Solo—"The Wanderer's Song" (Schu-
mann)—Mr. Gwilym Miles.

Violin Solo—Mazurka—(Ovide Musin)—
Miss Bertha Behrens.

Song—"Within a Mile of Edinburgh"
(Taylor)—R. D. Orley—Miss Elizabeth
C. Gaffney.

Song—"O Sing to Me the Auld Scotch
Songs" (Leceson)—Mr. William H. Rie-
ger.

Song—"In Autumn" (Franz)—Miss Zora
Gladys Horlock.

Part II.

Address—Robert Burns—Hon. Lynde
Harrison.

Duet—"Qual Mare" (Verdi)—Miss Gaff-
ney and Mr. Rieger.

Violin Solo—"Romance Sans Paroles"
(Wieniawski)—Miss Bertha Behrens.

Song—"Scots Wha Hae" (Burns)—Mr.
Gwilym Miles.

Song—"Caller Herrin" (Lady Nairne)—
Miss Zora Gladys Horlock.

Song—"My Sweetheart" (Barry)—Mr.
William H. Rieger.

Recitation—"A Race for a Wife" (Bar-
rie)—Miss Mary Dudley Burke.

Song—"Ye von Bonnie Banks" (Old Mel-
ody)—Miss Elizabeth C. Gaffney.

Auld Lang Syne—Concert company and
audience.

Accompanist—Mr. Richard T. Perry.
Piano kindly loaned by M. Steinhart
and Sons.

The Rev. I. C. Meserve and Chief Rob-
ert P. Pryde are the vice presidents.

CHICAGO FOLKS.
Who May Never Have Heard of Hartford.

The Hartford Times says: Some time
ago we published the names of some of
the Chicago couples to whom marriage
licenses had been issued on a given
day. Our attention has been drawn to
the list of licenses issued on Monday
last and printed in the paper of Tues-
day. We find only three or four Amer-
ican or English names in the entire
list. In order that our readers may see
the character of the population of Chi-
cago we give the following list of thirty
licenses just as they appear in the Chi-
cago paper of Tuesday:

A. Staniewicz, Stanislaw Szynkiewicz,
Albert Schramm, Ida Beckmann.

Charles Wilk, Hilda Elm.

Antoni Iglinski, Bronislawa Badnicka.

Robert Spitt, Annie Kastley.

Josef Jagodzinski, Adnie Czeszka.

Fred Bundy, Gussie Belfuss.

John Heifrich, Viola Curtis.

Francisko Santoro, Marcelina Maciejew-
ska.

Edward Huelat, Lucy Baker.

Patrick Quinn, Della Halvey.

Julius Lou, Lucy Mayer.

Julius Krushinski, Martha Lehman.

Olof Sundt, Agnetta Wilberg.

Nils Dillberg, Selma Peterson.

Pietro Spartani, Esther Marchi.

Richard Gross, Theofilia Beutler.

Michael Joswiak, Frances Bilecka.

Frankiek Blaha, Annie Smutney.

John Keating, Annie Ryan.

Stanislav Sobol, Rozalia Siomaska.

James Kelly, Sarah Redmond.

John Gebried, Carrie Hacken.

Charles Ingve, Emma Smith.

Felix Klomier, Clara Kearney.

Josef Kepala, Zofia Jokko.

Charles Deel, Amanda Strip.

John Marsulek, Maryann Gonsior.

Adolph Hildebrandt, Emma Jarm.

Andrew Zwinski, Antonina Prace-
wicz.

It's no wonder that Chicago has a
good many people who "never heard of
such a place as Hartford."

FAIR HAVEN NOTES.

The Proposed Drawbridge—Conference of
the U. S. Engineer With Business Men—
Mr. Dick's Coming Address—General
News.

The address given by the evangelist,
John M. Dick of Boston, at the Y. M. C.
A. rooms last Sunday was a masterly
one. The rooms were crowded with an
exceptionally intelligent audience of
men, many standing in the aisles for
want of seats. Mr. Dick is a speaker
of great power and eloquence and un-
derstands the needs of the men of our
day. He has great magnetic power
and is also of broad education. He
speaks in plain but forcible language
and with much earnestness. His ad-
dress was on "Secret Sins or Fast Liv-
ing," being the first in a series of six
addresses that he is to give on Sunday
afternoons of this month and next
Sunday his subject will be "The Devil's
Tools" and arrangements are being
made for all who can be accommodated in the
rooms. The meetings are for men only
and begin promptly at 3 o'clock, a ser-
vice of song beginning ten minutes
earlier. The directors of the associa-
tion are fortunate in securing Mr. Dick
and that the men of Fair Haven ap-
preciate it was shown by the fact that
last Sunday's audience was the largest
in the history of the association. There
is promise that the remaining services
will tax the hall to the utmost of its
capacity.

The class in mechanical drawing of
the Y. M. C. A. organized Tuesday
evening.

A meeting of the Y. M. C. A. will be
held this (Saturday) evening at 7
o'clock.

Lieutenant Colonel Henry W. Robert
of the United States Engineers' corps
met a number of Fair Haven business
men interested in the building of a
drawbridge in place of the present
Grand avenue bridge, yesterday.

Those present were T. G. Jefferson,
William A. Warner, Dwight Chipman,
E. P. Goodsell, C. D. Parmelee, Willet
Hemingway, H. W. Crawford, D. B.
Brown, William Brooks, M. Hemingway,
E. C. Rowe, H. E. Thompson, Charles
E. Thompson, Lucius Rowe, C. L. Lud-
ington, Lucius Ludington, H. A. Stev-
ens, S. Chipman, George W. Dayton
and C. S. Bushnell. Attorney L. P.
Deming appeared for the petitioners.

After the case had been presented
to Colonel Robert he was taken down
to the bridge and to the point where
the new Shore Line railroad crosses
the main river. Colonel Robert fa-
vored the enterprise and was surprised
it had not been carried out before.

He said he hardly knew of a place in
this country with such fine navigation
where there is a draw and at West
river, where it is proposed to build
one, the flow of water is not as great
as here, he said. He explained that it
would be necessary to swing seventy
feet in the clear on each side of the
central pier. He said it would be nec-
essary to notify the city and town, own-
ers of the present bridge, the railroad
and all parties in interest to attend
a meeting to be held in city hall and
which is likely to be held within a
month. From what the colonel said, if
the same interest is manifested in the
drawbridge at the next meeting, it
seems likely he will recommend to the
secretary of war the erection of a draw-
bridge.

Corporation Counsel Driscoll was
present and said he was in favor of the
new bridge. If built, it will be neces-
sary to get the city to make its ap-
propriation next December, and then
the town would undoubtedly concur.
In any event it is likely to be at least
a year before the building of a new
structure would begin.

The schooner Thomas Thomas and
Bonita, which loaded at Chincoctague,
Va., several weeks ago have been de-
tained by ice. The Thomas got out of
the ice pack and brought her cargo to
Fair Haven dealers and sailed on her
return Tuesday night. The Bonita has
not yet arrived. Her captain, who
lives on Chincoctague Island, says he
never before knew the weather so cold
in Virginia.

The remains of Peter Rydberg, who
was killed by a fall at the John Thomp-
son house in Fair Haven, are at the
undertaking rooms of H. W. Crawford
& Co., to await the arrival of a brother
from New York. Rydberg fell in the
Thompson, which is being re-modelled.
He was a joiner and boarded on Goffe
street. His family are in Sweden.

Andrew H. Turner, a retired oyster
dealer and formerly of the Baltimore
firm of J. S. Farren & Co., is visiting
Hartford. He is visiting H. W. Craw-
ford & Co., which is being re-modelled.
He was a joiner and boarded on Goffe
street. His family are in Sweden.

The funeral of the late Willis Bun-
nell was attended from the home of his
daughter, Mrs. Esther M. Russell, 83
Exchange street, yesterday afternoon,
Rev. Dr. Sage officiating.

News has just been received of the
suicide at Baltimore on Wednesday of
W. W. Crozier, well known to many
Fair Haven people. Mr. Crozier was
formerly a partner of the late Horace
Lanfear, who lived in Fair Haven many
years, the firm carrying on the oyster
business.

At a meeting of the Alumni Associa-
tion Graduate Opticians of the United
States and Canada held in New York
Thursday evening, F. W. Prescott, the
jeweller, was present and received the
honor of an election to the vice pres-
idency of the association. He was one
of a number of graduates of the Spec-
ter Optical institute, who presented
their old instructor, Dr. H. A. Heath,
with an elegant diamond ring and a
testimonial with names of donors hand-
somely engrossed.